

and

Clear  
1-27-05

Defense Agency: ARMY

**Date Referred:**

Date Created: ..

## Recommendation

**Reviewer(s) Signature/Date/Command**

Wm. P. Allen

SNR

9-23-04

SEP 23 2004

U.S. Army

BEST AVAILABLE COPY

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 184, the subject matter of this application may be filed in a foreign country for the purpose of filing a patent application without a license any time after the expiration of 6 months from filing date unless the application becomes the subject of a secrecy order.

1. The 1000-hour requirement applies to all pilots up to 12 months from the date of the last flight day. The 1000-hour rule delays the qualification on the basis of a pilot's flight experience rather than on the number of hours flown. It would not affect the qualification as from the 1st January 2000, as it only applies to those employed as pilots on 1 January. The qualification will therefore be 12 months from the flight limit of 90 days for the above "Pilot's passport" which will be 12 months in 2000, as is provided in the CAA's "Guidance" in the appendix. A pilot's qualification will be 12 months from 1 January 2000.